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Senate Resolution 1417

By: Senator Douglas of the 17th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Georgia Central Bank; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Georgia Central Bank was founded as Social Circle Bank in 1923 by members
- 3 of the community of Social Circle; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the assets for Social Circle Bank reached \$1 million in the 1950's, and shortly
- 5 thereafter, on June 18, 1953, official bylaws were adopted prompting the selection of a board
- 6 of directors; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the ownership of the bank changed hands several times until late in 1963, when
- 8 the citizens of Social Circle regained ownership of the bank and Mr. Roy J. Malcom, Sr.,
- 9 became president; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the bank continued to grow and prosper, and the first branch opened in Monroe,
- 11 Georgia, in 1975 with the bank's new name, Georgia Central Bank; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the bank's growth continued such that the assets had reached \$15.8 million and
- on May 17, 1984, at 7:30 P.M., Georgia Central Bancshares, Inc., was established as the
- 14 holding company of Georgia Central Bank; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Roy J. Malcom, Jr., became the bank's current president in 2002; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Georgia Central Bank celebrated its 80th anniversary of serving the local
- 17 community in 2003 as its assets surpassed \$80.0 million; and
- 18 WHEREAS, under the leadership of Mr. Malcom, Georgia Central Bank is positioning itself
- 19 to become a market leader by providing banking and financial services of the highest quality

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1 while focusing on real community banking where its customers are not considered just as

- 2 numbers but rather as valued individuals; and
- 3 WHEREAS, this remarkable corporate citizen has established a glowing reputation of
- 4 renown throughout Georgia for its ability to accommodate changes in the banking industry
- 5 and its continuing ability to meet the diversified needs of its customers with friendly and
- 6 professional service; and
- 7 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 8 amazing banking institution be appropriately recognized.
- 9 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 10 join in commending Georgia Central Bank and extend their best wishes to its president,
- directors, officers, and employees for the future success.
- 12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 13 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Roy J. Malcom, Jr., president, Georgia
- 14 Central Bank.